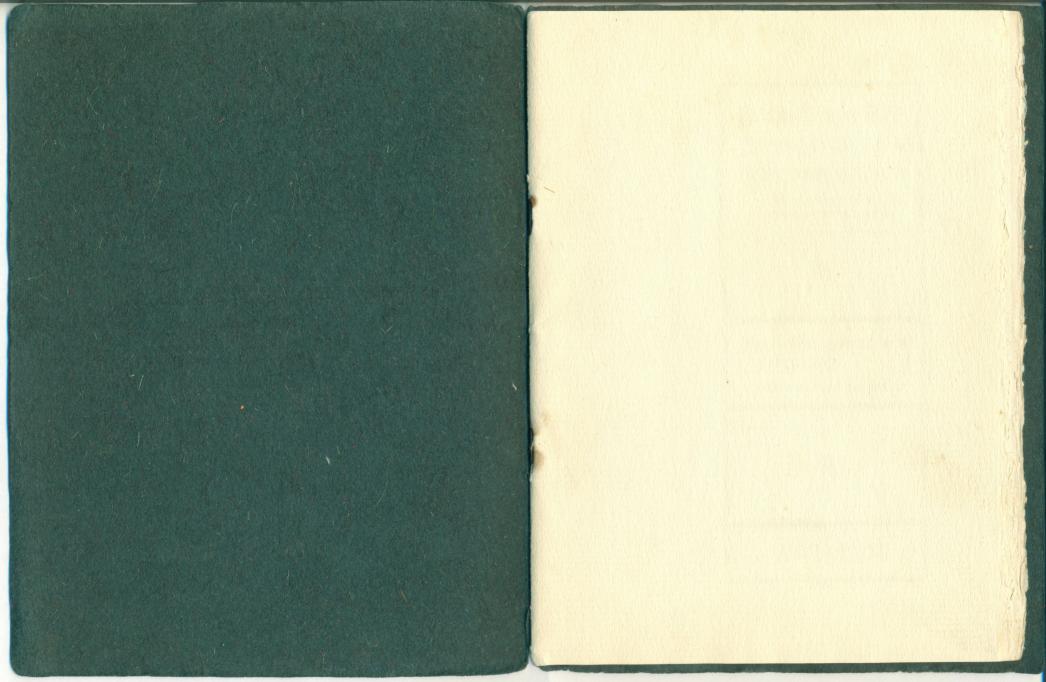
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November Seventeenth

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"The Key to the Twentieth Century"

December Fourth

THE SLAYTON JUBILEE SINGERS

February Second

DR. P. S. HENSON

"Fools"

March First

THE SCHUBERT QUARTETTE MISS BURNETT, Reader

# Calendar

1903

OCTOBER Fifth Science

Music

Scherzo Club

Wild Birds and Their Music

Mr. F. Schuyler Matthews

OCTOBER Nineteenth Philanthropy

Hospital Day—in the interest of the Emily Balch Cottage Hospital

Sketch of the Hospital

Mrs. Charlotte D. Fox

Piano Solo

Mrs. Lena A. Swenning

Club Tea

NOVEMBER Second Art

Current Events on American Art

Miss S. Thordike Keniston

Song

Miss Blanche E. Stedman

New Masters

Miss Winifred Webster

NOVEMBER Sixteenth Literature

Song

Miss Steinfeldt

The Literature of the New South

Miss Caroline W. Mudgett

Readings from Southern Writers

Mrs. Emma M. Foss

## DECEMBER Seventh Literature

The Negro in Literature Mrs. Effie K. Gore

Negro Melodies Mrs. Lulu F. Elliott

The Negro as a Maker of Literature

Mrs. Ada E. Keniston

Reading from "Uncle Remus"

Miss S. Thorndike Keniston

## DECEMBER Twenty-first Social

Current Events Mrs. Lavinia Foss

Song Miss Lucy S. Brackett

Reading Mrs. Hattie C. Draper

Club Tea

## JANUARY Fourth Philanthropy

Visit to the County Farm

Reported by { Mrs. Anna M. Tenney Mrs. Addie M. Sawyer

Music Quartette

Visit to Home for Feeble Minded

Reported by { Miss Caroline R. Leverett Miss Elizabeth C. Hooker

# JANUARY Eighteenth

Reciprocity Day—with program furnished by the Franklin Woman's Club

Piano Solo

Mrs. Lena A. Swenning

#### JANUARY Thirtieth

Virginia Silhouettes

Mrs. Pauline Carrington Bouve Mme. Plumer-Smith

## FEBRUARY First Science

The Forest Laws of New Hampshire

Mrs. Elvira P. Burleigh

Song Miss Lucy S. Brackett

John Burroughs at Slabsides

Miss Elizabeth C. Hooker

# FEBRUARY Nineteenth Social

Annual Reception — with entertainment by Miss Gertrude I. McQuesten and the Scherzo Club

# MARCH First Education

Piano Solo Mr. John Keniston

The Relation of the Home to the School

Mrs. Ruth McC. Chase

The Relation of the School to the Home

Miss Maud Starling

General Discussion

### MARCH Fifteenth Education

Music

Scherzo Club

Child Study as Applied to the Work in the Public Schools

Principal J. E. Klock of the New Hampshire Normal School

#### APRIL Fifth

Children's Day—with Music by the Scherzo Club

### APRIL Nineteenth

Annual Meeting

## MAY Third Philanthropy

Music

Scherzo Club

Lecture Mrs. Lillian Carpenter Streeter Honorary President of State Federation

### MAY Seventeenth Music

A Study of "Lohengrin" Miss Bessie Fox

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# Constitution

ARTICLE I. NAME.

This club shall be known as the Pemigewasset Woman's Club.

ARTICLE II. OBJECT.

The object of this club shall be to broaden and strengthen the moral, social, and intellectual life of its members, and through them to make itself a power for good in the community.

### ARTICLE III. OFFICERS.

SEC. 1. The officers of this club shall be a President, two Vice-Presidents, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer, and an Executive Committee to consist of six members.

SEC. 2. The officers of the club, with the exception of the Executive Committee, shall be elected at each annual meeting by ballot and a major vote. Three new members of the executive committee shall be elected for a term of two years at each annual meeting by ballot and a major vote.

SEC. 3. Officers shall not be eligible to re-election to the same office for more than two consecutive years.

Sec. 4. At the first meeting in March, a committee of three shall be appointed by the chair, who shall report at the first meeting in April a list of nominations for the election at the annual meeting

#### ARTCLE IV. MEMBERSHIP.

Any woman shall be eligible for membership who is interested in the work of the club. The name of each candidate must be presented at a regular meeting by a member of the club and may be balloted upon at any regular meeting subsequent to that at which the name was presented. Three negatives reject.

After election, a person becomes a member only upon signing the constitution and paying the annual due within one month from the time of election.

#### ARTICLE V. DUES.

The annual due for one year, or any part of a year, shall be one dollar. The financial year shall begin at the close of the club year, when the annual fee shall become due.

#### ARTICLE VI. AMENDMENTS.

The constitution may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the members present, and voting, at any regular meeting of the club, provided that a written notice of the intended change has been given at a previous regular meeting.

# By=Laws

#### ARTICLE I. DUTIES OF OFFICERS.

- SEC. 1. The president shall preside at all meetings of the club and shall perform the other duties usually belonging to this office. She shall also cast the deciding vote in case of a tie in the executive committee. In her absence, it shall be the duty of the Vice-Presidents, in their order, to preside at any meeting.
- SEC. 2. The Recording Secretary shall keep a correct record of the attendance, and of the proceedings of all meetings of the club. At the last meeting in May she shall present a written report of the year's work.
- SEC. 3. The Corresponding Secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the club; notify all persons elected to office, making a statement of the duties connected therewith; give notice to those appointed on committees and elected to membership, and notify all members of special meetings.
- Sec. 4. The Treasurer shall receive all moneys and pay them out on a written order of a majority vote of the executive committee, all bills payable for a sum exceeding five dollars having been submitted to the club. At the last meeting in May she shall present a written report of all moneys received and paid out by her.
- SEC. 5. The Executive Committee shall be intrusted with all business and interests of the club, in the interim of its meeting and with the appointment of sub-

committees. They shall have the right to order the payment of any bill not exceeding five dollars without submitting it to the club. They shall have the power to fill all vacancies which may occur during the year.

#### ARTICLE II. MEETINGS.

- SEC. 1. The regular meetings of the club shall be held the first and third Mondays of each month, from October to May inclusive, at such hours and places as shall be agreed upon.
- Sec. 2. The last regular meeting in the month of April shall be the meeting for the annual election of officers, who shall assume their duties at the close of the year. The incoming president shall be the president to attend the annual meeting of the State Federation of Women's Clubs. The report for the year shall be read at the last meeting in May.
- SEC. 3. Special meetings may be called by the President or acting President or on request of three members thereof of the club, at least twenty-four hours notice being given.

#### ARTICLE III. QUORUM.

Five members shall constitute a quorum.

#### ARTICLE IV. WITHDRAWAL.

- SEC. 1. A member wishing to withdraw from the club shall send a written resignation to the secretary that her name may be taken from the list of members.
- SEC. 2. Any member who fails to pay the annual fee before the first of November shall be dropped from the rolls as having voluntarily withdrawn from the club.

#### ARTICLE V. VISITORS.

Members may bring guests, who shall be admitted by ticket, to any regular meeting, except the annual meeting. Tickets may be obtained of the Treasurer by members only, on payment of ten cents for each ticket. These tickets are to be procured within two weeks of the date for which they are to be used. The same woman, residing in town, shall not be invited as a guest more than once a year.

#### ARTICLE VI. CONDUCT OF MEETINGS.

All meetings shall be conducted by the rules of parliamentary law, the "Woman's Manual of Parliamentary Law," being the authority.

#### ARTICLE VII. AMENDMENTS.

These by-laws may be amended by a two-thirds vote of fhe members present at any meeting, notice of such intention having been given at a previous regular meeting.

#### ARTICLE VIII. SUSPENSION OF BY-LAWS.

Any article of the by-laws may be suspended by a two-thirds vote of the members present, for not more than one meeting, excepting this article which shall not be suspended.

